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"TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS, AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE."

IN GREAT VE KNOCK 'FN 4--11 LUCK.

ForThe MONEY

Thats the way we do business. We constantly keep quality in view, and no matter how low the prices may go, our superiority in high grades is always maintained.

Pudding Is

Christmas Candy

5 cents a pound. For Christmas week only.

Christmas Sugar.

5 cents a pound. For Christmas week.

Christmas Flour. 55 to 60 cents a Sack. \$4.00 to \$4.40 a Barrel.

More Goods For Same Money. Christmas Dolls

All prices from 5c to \$2.00 TOYS .- All kinds.

Christmas Cups and Saucers.

Mustache Cups for Papa and Just plain gold embossed Cup and Saucer for

Mamma.

Christmas Calico

Best on Earth for 4c a yard. Christmas week.

Christmas Dress Goods

For from 7c to 50c-25 per cent. REDUCTION.

Christmas Suits

\$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$500 CORDUROYS

ODD PANTS AT 50c. 75c. 85c. \$1,00, \$1.25 up to \$3.00.

Christmas Overcoats Big line at from \$1.75 to \$6.00.

CHRISTMAS WEEK.

Christmas Shoes

Men's \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$3.00 for very finest in the land.

Christmas Shoes.

For the Ladies and Children. All kinds

and very Low Prices. Christmas Overshoes.

Rubbers and Arctics. All sizes and Cheap.

Same Goods For Less Money.



J. A. MULLINS

One of the bigg est-hearted men in Rockcastle county. and will go as far as any man we have ever known, to do a friend a favor. He is the senior member of the firm of J. A. Mullins & son, who are doing a splendid business in the town of Livingston.



W. C. MULLINS

A man who fought his way up from a brakeman to a leading real; estate man, a capitalist and merchant. He has large holdings of real estate in his town and doing a big business in drugstore. Will is one of Livingston's best men and has a host of friends.

FOILS A DEADLY ATTACK. My wife was so ill that good chester, Ind., "but was completely survive him. cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in constipation and sick headache. the way he managed the case. 25c at all druggists.



W. W. WRIGHT

Who is always right up to the notch as a train dispatcher in the Livingston office where the can be found when his office hours are on. He has many friends who expect grocery line, in that thriving little him to climb still higher in his cal-



W. H. Brown was here last week. Will Sutton remains about the

John Brown, Sr., went to Garrard Friday.

Born to the wife of Joe Brown on Dec. 18th, a boy. O. A. Gent y sold to a Mr. King

mule colt for \$30. A. G. and J. M. Craig bought a pair of mules for \$130.

Cage McKenzie, of Kings Mountain, was here this week.

J. M. Craig and Hugh McBee were in Lancrster Monday.

O. A. Gentry is talking of going to Indian Territory to reside. Miss Lillie McBee is going to

Preachersville. Miss Joan Craig returned home Monday from Red Hill where she has beeen teaching school.

spend Christmas with relatives at

DEAD .- Mr. Perry Wright, aged physicians Weit "inable to help about 35 died Dec. 17th of typhoid ber," writes M. M. Austin, of Win- fever. A wife and three children



H. W. BOWMAN

E. C. COCKRELL

Compose the firm of Bowman & Cockrell, who have long run a flourishing general merchandise business as well as large lumbering interests from their big saw mills on the river at mouth of Roundstone. They float down from up river points thousands of logs yearly. The firm has erected many dwellings in Livingston and are progressive business men and citizens.



J. W .BAKER

One of the leading merchants of Livingston, to which place he purchased a half interest in the A, G. Craig has about recovered went after successfully running stores at Mullins Station, Mt. Vernon from a severe attack of pneumonia. and other points. He sell goods by the wagon load and it is a difficult stomach and liver troubles, Cure Dr. Price deserves much credit for matter to not find anything in the mercantile line about his store that should be kept in a first-class general store.



J. C. HOCKER

One of Livingston's pioneer druggists, sold his interest in that business, a short time since to W. C. Mullins and will, in the spring, open up a full line of gent's furnishing goods in his adopted town.

CONWAY

W. R. Stephens was at Brodhead last Saturday.

buying calves.

Berea last Sunday. A. W. Stewart was in Berea Monday on business.

Mr. Scott McGuire, of Stanford, was through here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs, G. W. Jones were visiting relatives at Wildie Sunday. P. T. McGuire was here from Goochland Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Charley Pearly, of Richmond, was here hunting last Fri-

H. C. Berry is very feeble at this writing, being on the verge of losing his mind.

Richard Early purchased a farm from P. S. Callaham near here and will move this week. Geo. Shockley has improved his

small farm near here by moveing the dwelling off of same. J. M. Nave has sold his interest in his Conway property to James

Wood and is now located in Nich-James Wood will move to our town in the near future, having

Nave and Sigman property. cemetery on the following day.



DR. J. G. LUCAS

The popular dentist and one of Livingston's most progressive and enterprising citizens. He is always in the front ranks advocating and pushing improvements for his town. He has a lucrative practice in his profession and is kept busy Especial mention sould be made of his untiring and successful ef-Wm. Hysinger was here Friday forts as a member of the board of trustees in establishing sidewalks, W. C. Jones was home from improved streets and enforcement of the laws.



R. A. WHITEHEAD

Of the firm of Baker & Whitehead, has charge of their big store in Livingston. Mr. Whitehead returned from Peru, South America, less than two years ago where he spent some years and gained valuable business experience which he is putting into practice.

Beasley & Co., Stanford, carry the nicest and most up-to-date fur-Mr. John Todd died on the niture to be found anywhere in night of the 21st. His remains Eastern Kentucky. If you don't were put away in the Scaffold Cane believe it go and see for yourself.

Krueger & 50118 Holiday Offerings.

Your Dollars work wonders The Slender Purse will give a Lively Account of itself.

COFFEE: Arbuckles 10 cents. 9 cents. Best Green 10 cents.

BEST FLOUR \$4.50 A BARREL SAME FLOUR, IN SACKS AT SAME

LOW PRICES. BEST MEAT AT 12 1-2 cents.

They Read. They Came. They Looked They Bought.

This, in a few words is the story of all who enter KRUEGER SONS' store

Fancy Candies For CHRISTMAS. COMPLETE STOCK,

Same,

LOW PRICES

Looking Christmasward.

Lamps, Albums, Picture Frames, Dolls, etc. etc.

FAIL To Visit Our Store For

Xmas Presents.

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PR Handkerchiefs worth 10c. at 5c. Silk Il'ks. worth 25c. at 15c. Silk H'ks worth 50c. at 30c ALL Kinds of Underwear at

LOW PRICES. Each a nice Xmas present. IC

Ready Made Skirts worth \$4 at \$3 Same, worth - \$5 at \$2.50 Same, worth - \$2.50 at \$1.75 Same, worth - \$2.00 at \$1.50 Same, worth - \$1.50 at \$1.00 It will pay you to investigate.

XMAS. ES

Cloaks worth - \$7.00 at \$5.50 Same, worth . \$6.00 at \$5.00 Same, worth - \$5.00 at \$4.25 Same, worth - \$4.00 at \$3.50 Same, worth -\$3.50 at \$2.50 Same, worth - \$2.50 at \$1.75

QU Ladies Hats worth \$2.50 at \$2.00 worth \$2.00 at \$1.50

Come quick and obtain the above

worth \$1.50 at \$1.00 | Same, worth - \$2.50 at \$2.00 | Boys Suits worth 75c at 50c Same, worth - \$1.50 at \$1.00 BARGAINS These must go during Holidays.

ED Rugs worth - \$4.00 at \$3.00 Overcoats worth \$6.00 at \$5.00

Same, worth - \$3.00 at \$2.50 Suits worth \$10.00 at \$7.50

Same, worth - \$2.00 at \$1.50 PRICES CUT HALF IN TOO. And you get the benefit of the

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1902.

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Advertising rates made known on application

H. H. HENNINGER, Treasurer, subject to the action of the Demogratio party.

al announcement of his candidacy misplaced, or perchance a pair of possible one. Maybe to handicap for reelection. The announcement slippers came up missing, but never an enemy, and feel the gratification was given out in the form of an ad- before had the baby disappeared as arising from a sense of victory? cress to the Democrats of Kentucky. if a floor had suddenly opened and Not so; but to deliver himself gagg- ly. In this address he touches upon as suddenly swallowed her. They ed and bound with a thousand the State primary question, declar- hunted high and they hunted low. chains to the arch-enemy of true ing that he has always favored this They called and wept and begged manhood and Christian character. mode of making nominations. He and finally grew frantic and wrung The drunkard slaughters all his defends the action of the State their hands. And just at that obligations for a bottle of rotten Committee; reviews briefly his point they heard a faint little squeak liquor, and so goes staggering Jellico, Sunday. record as Governor; pays a tribute very much like the sound of a bit through life, until he falls drunk at to the progressive and liberal spirit of a mouse looking for its mother. of the Democratic party and pledges The squeak seemed to come from himself, if again elected, to con- one corner and then it seemed to our prayers cannot follow him; our tinue the same official policy he come from another, but after the prayers, like his life, would be a has heretofore followed, broadened family had rushed wildly about like mockery to God. and improved, it may be, with the a lunatic asylum in a panic they light of a better experience.

chance. Black is the man.

A PROPOSAL from the allied Powers that President Roosevelt Coughing Spell Caused Death. act as arbitrator of the Venezuelan difficulty. It is believed that he will renew his proposal that the question be referred to The Hague tribunal, and that if all other measures fail, he will take up the task himself. A peaceful settlement of the question is promised, no matter what disposition is made of the various propositions.

twentieth century, was accomplished a few days since when Marcoui, the inventor, sent and received hound Syrup would have saved but from the track up. His is a telegraph messages over the ocean, between Nova Scotia and England a distance of over 2,000 miles. Mr. Marconi is the successful inventor of the wireless telegraphy.

CHRISTMAS SCRAPS.

(BY JET.)

There is a legend that upon a certain Christmas eve Christ came down from heaven and walked upon the earth, and, as He walked He saw strange sights. The weather was bitterly cold, yet men whistled sketches of sweet home melodies and pious authems; while indoor lights gleamed, and threw their

radiance upon beautiful trees, the truth. Let the drunkard ask standing green in the wintry at- his mother what has made her eyes mosphere, and loaded with spark- red-rimmed and bloodshot, and her ling gifts. "What does this mean?" at last asked the Saviour of a passer-by. "The dear Lord help Thee! wife, what has given pallor to her where hast Thou lived?" replied cheek, and her surprise that he did the man, "not to know that this is not know will be his rebuke. Let Christman eve, and these that the drunkard ask his own heart Thou seest are Christmas trees?"

brated, and what is the meaning of blue flame of alcohol has licked dry the Christmas tree?"

There came very near being a dreadful catastrophe in a certain Of Wayne county is a candidate for State South Side household the day before Christmas. They lost the family cherub. It had often hap-Gov. BECKHAM has made form pened that a silver spoon had been to destroy an actual or prevent a found that blessed youngster stuck So far so good, but there is al fast in the chimney! She had got ways a stopping point, and it does so excited hearing about Santa seem like Beckham has had enough Claus for six or seven weeks that for the present. Step down and she had gone on a searching expeout and give some one else a dition all by herself. Now what do you think of that for a true Christmas story?

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician but before he could ar. cessful Master of Trains and handrive, another coughing spell came ler of men, was with the company THE greatest achievement of the on and Duckwell died from suffo- almost from boyhood and has Dec. 1, 1901." Ballard's Hore. only in transportation department J. S. Cooper. him. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Chas. responsible position well filled. C. Davis' drugstore.

> Following are some striking passages from a sermon on "Drunken- Could hardly express the thanks

Drink down the tears of your sor- tion, but he could not help him. the cup, filled with your own hon- and saved my life. I now weigh or, and say "It tastes well!" You, 527 pounds." It's positively guarand sung, as they passed Him by, ladies and gentlemen, may say the anteed for Coughs, Colds and Lung picture is overdrawn; seek, then, troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00.

sigh will give him an eloquent answer. Let the drunkard ask his what has become of God-given af-"And why is Christmas eve cele- fections, and he will find that the the deepest depths of his soul's

And all this, for what? Maybe to gain the golden purpose of ambitiou? No, but to kill ambition. Maybe to reach a fortune? No, but the foot of God's judgment seat. Ah! there, let us leave him; even



B. N. ROLLER

One of the L. & N's. most suc-

A MILLION VOICES

and says, "Ah! that was good." settled on his lungs, causing a I propose that he will wash the most obstinate cough. Several whisky down with a glass I will fill. physicians said he had consumpsay, "Ah it tastes well!" Drain off writes: "It completely cured me from those intimately concerned. Trial bottles free at all druggists.



DR. I. W. SAMMS

A rising young physician who has practiced at Wildie and Livingston and a few Imonths since located at East Bernstadt, Laurel county, where he is getting along nice-

LIVINGSTON

Merry Christmas to all. J. F. Cooper came home from

W. T. Brooks, of Hazel Patch, was here Sunday. Eugene Orndorff is spending the

Holidays with his parents. Mrs. Brack Graves is visiting relatives, at Williamsburg.

Mrs. W. R. Dillion returned home from Stanford, Saturday.

Mrs. Mila Pettit and daughter, Lela returned home from Wildie, last Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ewers, of Mt. Vernon, were guests at the Sambrook Hotel, Sunday.

Miss Kittie Poyter came home from Mt. Nernon, Saturday, to spend the Holidays.

Misses Mattie and Georgia Mcguests of their sister Mrs. W. J. Childress, Sunday.

McFerron, at Pine Hill.

Miss Hattie Orndorff returned home Saturday, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs Nellie For three years I suffered untold BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. Haver, at Newark, Ohio.

Misses Thompson, of Mt. Vernon, Miss Caldwell of Lordon, and Miss Fannie Redd, of Crab Orchation .- St. Louis Globe Democrat, learned all the ins and outs not ard, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs.

> Mr. and Mrs. John Hilton and son, Willie, and Miss Cleatie Bai- pounds." For Indigestion. Loss years, and have never had a preley, of Bailey's Switch. are the of Appetite, Stomach, Liver and paration that has given better satguests of Mesdames Tubbs, Hilton Kidney troubles Electric Bitters isfaction. I notice that when I and Blankenship.

W. C. Mullins is the happy pos- Only 50c at all druggists. ness" by Rev. James H. Cotter: of Homer Hall, of West Point, Ia. sessor of a handsome Christmas The drunkard lays down his glass Listen why: A severe cold had present, from a little widow of this county. It is for inspection at the drugstore,

life of happiness.

SAVED AT GRAVE'S BRINK.

been in my grave" writes Mrs. S. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

H. Newsom, of Decatur, Ala., "if Sold by druggists Price 7-e per bottle. it had not been for Electric Bitters. Hall's Family Pills we the best.



OT

Dr. R. Goldstein.

-WILL BE AT THE-

Willer Hotel

MONDAY JANUARY 12,- (ONE DAY ONLY.) AN EYE POINT.-If you want perfect vision you should have your EYES examined often. A slight correction promptly attended to will insure perfect eyes, for the rest of your days. I will examine your eyes, overcome the defects and assure you most

satisfactory results, Office Hours 9 a. m. -to- 4 p. m.

MILLER HOTEL



R. L. BROWN

The rising young lawyer, who left this county something over a year ago, and went to Somerset to locate for the practice of his profession. He at first formed a partnership with Messrs. E. T. Wesley and W. J. Brown and the firm was known as Wesley, Brown & Brown. Ferron, of Pine Hill, were the When Mr. Wesley was elected county attorney at the November election 1901, he withdrew from the partnership, which afterwards continued as Brown & Brown On the first of January 1903, the partnership Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Childress, of Wesley & Brown will ligain be renewed, with Bob, as he is familiar-Verner Brown and Miss Eva Hall, ly called, as the junior member of the firm. From boyhood until the spent Christmas with Mrs. Houston present his many friends throughout this county, have watched with bright anticipations, his upward strides in life, and Rockcastle is to-day, proud of the fact that she can own him as one of her noblest sons.

agony from the worst forms of In-

BEWARE OF OINTANTS FOR CA-TRRH THAT CONTAINS MERCURY

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole sys-Tom Daniels and Miss Pearl tem when entering it through the mucous Cable were married at Rowland, surfaces. Such articles should never be used Tuesday the 23rd. They were giv- except on prescriptions from reputable phy. etburg, Ky. This farm is in fine rowing mother, and say, "Ah! they When all thought he was doomed en an elegant reception at the residence sicians, as the da sage they will do is ten state of cultivation, mostly fenced taste well!" Drink down the blood he began to use Dr. King's New dence of Mrs. Ed Woodall, Tues-fold to the good you can possibly derive with plank and wire, has large orof your broken-hearted wife, and Discovery for Consumption and day evening. May they have a from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufact- chard of fine fruit, well watered, has ured by F. J. Cheney & Co., contains no a two-story new dwelling house of 8 mercury and is taken internantly, acting directly upon the blood and inuenus surfaces buildings all in good condition, near of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh 1 ost-office, church and school. It is "I know I would long ago have Cure be sure you get the gennine. It is taken one of the most desirable homes to be

Immediately relieves hoarse, digestion, Wrterbrash, Stomach and croupy cough, oppressed, rattling, Bowel Dyspepsia. But this excel- rasping and difficult breathing. lent medicine did me a world of Henry C. Stearns, Druggist, Shullsgood. Since using it I can eat 1901: "I have been selling Balburg, Wisconsin, writes, May 20. heartily and have gained 35 lard's Horehound Syrup for two are a positive, guaranteed cure sell a bottle, they come back for more I can honestly recommend it. 25c, 50c and \$1.00, at Chas. C. Davis' drugstore.

A NICE HOME FOR SALE.

Owing to failing health I have fully determined to sell my home near Marrooms, two new barns and other out be had. Terms easy. I also have \$2,000 to lend with GOOD security.

S. H. MARTIN Marethurg, Ky

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IAS. LANDRUM, Agent Phone No. 58.

Entered at the Mt. Vernus, Ky., Pest-office as eng-class mail matter

PERSONAL

Born, to the wife of Luther Mullins, last Monday, a fine girl.

James O'Rear, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting the family of Mr. M. C. Miller.

Dr. M. L. Myers and Attorney C. C. Williams were in Louisville

Sam Chandler, one of the courty's most successful teachers, closed his school last Friday.

Charlie Whitehead is at home from the Louisville School of Pharmacy, to spend Xmas.

Misses Reca Baker and Risse Williams are home from Hamilton College, to spend the Holidays.

Morris Brown came in Wednesday morning from Edgerton, Colo., for a few weeks with homefolks.

Judge S. D. Lewis, Hon. B. J. Bethurum and County Attorney, L. W. Bethurum rode the Masonic goat here Monday.

O. F. Hamm, one of the good substantial citizens of the county was here Wednesday. He didn't forget the editor either.

W. T. Davis has rented rooms over J. Fish's store and will move his family there to live until spring so as to be close to his work.

The news comes from Bessemer, Ala., that Miss Georgia Creed, is now confined to her bed and is gradually growing weaker all the

John Nevius, of Stanford, is spending the Holidays with C. C. Davis. He has his graphophone until late at night.

H. G. Edwards was here from Bandy, Kentncky and left his subscription for the SIGNAL. He said the news was always too old before he heard of it and that he had found he couldn't do without the paper.

W. J. Newcomb sends us a \$1.00 from Galveston, Texas, for the SIGNAL another year. Bill is still cashier of the Sante Fe, at that point and is a spleudid man for the place. His many friends will be glad to hear of his success.

Mrs. A. E. Ewers left Tuesday night for her Northern home. She will visit her parents in Ohio before going to Indiana. Prof. Ewour town, but we trust the change

will prove a rich harves for them. Mr. T. T. Simmons writes from Columbia, Mo., that he has gotten straightened out at the law school at that place, and is well pleased with the situation. Mr. Simmons is a bright, energetic young man who deserves the very best success in this life and we are confident that the future will bring most flattering reports of his work.

LOCALS

Dr. S. C. Davis Wednesday presented a check for \$25 as a Xmas gift to each of his children.

We failed to mention in our last C. C. Williams L. W. Bethurum, of Judge G. W. McClure.

Christmas gift.

Trustees of the Mt. Vernon Colle- hours. giate Institute for a dormitory, brought \$1800 instead of \$1600 as stated in our last issue, in turn Mr. Martin donated \$200 to the dormi-

The first of the year is now at hand and we most respectfully ask all parties indebted to us, either on subscription or otherwise, to please call and settle same. It is always a good plan to start in the first of the year with clean books if pos-

Allen Sutton has rented from G. M. Ballard the two rooms adjoining Dr. S. C. Davis' drugstore and will soon put in a full line of clothing and gent's furnishings. Mr. Sutton is a hustling business man; a good citizen to have in a town or community and we hope to see him receive a liberal patronage.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN .-Two red heifers, two and three years old in the spring. Both dehorned. Have been gone since the first of September. A liberal reward will be paid for their return F. & A. M. Mt. Vernon, Ky. or any information as to their w bereabouts.

WILLIAM FRENCH, Livingston, Ky. dec-5-4t.

HURT.-Eugene B. Brown L. & N. brakeman fell from a box car at Pittsburg Tuesday night, receiving some very serious wounds. He was going down the side of a car, when one of his hand holts gave way. He has three ribs broken loose from the chest bone, with probably a few other slight injuries. He is not thought to be serious.

A scientist says that "If the be two miles deep all over the days; that a copy of these resoluworld." After due meditation a tions be spread on the minu te book Kansas editor gives out the follow- of our Lodge a copy be sent to the the spot, and don't be too blamed for publication. particular what spot. There's a whole lot-of us in Kansas that

ADMINITRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on Monday the 12th day of with him and furnishes music at Jan. 1903, at the Judge's office, in Mr. Davis' store from early morn Mt. Vernon, Ky., hold sittings to hear proof of claims against the estate of the late W. G. Clark. All parties holding claims against him will present them on that day properly proven.

D. G. CLARK, Admr.

A little girl had been looking at some pictures of angels and she returned to her mother and asked. "Mamma, why are there no men in beaven?" "But there are men in heaven," replied the mother. Then why is it," asked the child, "that we never see any pictures of angels with whiskers and mustache?" "True, but there are men in Heaven," was the reply, "only they get in by a close shave."

DEAD .- John Houk, the oldest ers and children will follow in a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Houk, few days. We regret very much of Jamestown, Ind., died last Satto lose this splendid family from urday morning. For about fifteen all. He is a jovial, whole-hearted est and best they had and this we, months he had been afflicted with and has a kind word for 'everybody too, should do. that terrible disease, consumption. He was about 32 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. A nobler boy, than he never lived; comfort the loved ones left behind,

is the prayer of a devoted cousin. Willie Mills, son of Mr. and H. L. Tate and J. W. Parsons, Green for burial. His mother is a were the ones, who went to Lex- sister of Henry Catron, one of the county

for Craig Thomason to order an Robert Harmon, accidentally shot time has been with this church artificial leg We are glad to know and killed himself Tuesday morn- ever since for the past year. I MT VERNON, KY., DEC. 26, 1902 that so worthy a young man will ing. He had placed the barrel of have made my home in the town get such an appropriate and useful an old fashioned tifle in the fire to of Mt. Vernon and I want to say I heat it not knowing that it had a never lived among a better people. CORRECTION .- The property load in it. The bullet entered the I have found them always kind to which Mr. S. H. Martin sold to the abdomen. He lived only a few the poor, ever ready to visit the



J. C. RINEHART

The most successful butcher Livingston has had is still at the old stand furnishing beef, mutton, pork etc., in their season.

RESOLUTIONS.

• ---0-Hall of Ashland Lodge No. 640

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to remove our afflicted brother, G. W. McClure, in the sixty-second year of his age, who had served our lodge faithfully for more than thirty years. who was faithful to country and church, true to his brethren and always in sympathy with distress.

Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved family our deepest sympath, and commend them to Him who can comfort in all our afflictions.

Resolve, That we wear the usearth was flattened the sea would ual badge of mourning for thirty ing: "If any man is caught flat- bereaved family, and a copy be tening out the earth shoot him on sent to the MT. VERNON SIGNAL While one of the youngest, yet he

> J. A. LANDRUM, J M. WILLIAMS, U. G. BAKER.



J. R. STUCKY

between Livingston and Richmond neither need nor care for them. were children. Everyone knows made were brought to Christ. him as "Dock" and is well liked Gold, frankincense and myrrh the not only by his employers but by wise men laid at His feet -the rich-

SUCCESSFUL YEAR'S WORK.

The year 1902 with all of its joys and pleasures, as well as its shadkind-hearted, charitable and ever lows and sorrows is drawing to a ready to lend a helping hand to close. God, our heavenly father the needy. May God cherish and has richly and abundantly blessed us, and as his people we who are united in the divine fatherhood of God and common brotherhood of man owe it to Him as well as to Mrs. Henry Mills, was shot and knowledgment of spiritual blesskilled by Chas, Turner at Middles- ings conferred upon us as well as boro Monday night. Will-is well material pleasures and joys we known here, his parent having have been made the recipients of moved from this place to Middles- in our pleasant and happy associaborough, all of whom regret very tions, one with another. As one of much to bear of his sudden and the humble ministers of our Lord, unfortunate taking off. The re- I feel I have been richly blessed issue that Messrs John W. Brown, mains were brought here Wednes, since I came among and cast my day morning and taken to Level lot with the good christian people ington to bring back the remains good substatial citizens of this in July, 1901, I was called to the Livingston. - He has worked up a hours, day or night. pastorate of the Mt. Vernon Chris- good trade in his line.

Dr. Lovell has taken measures Roy Harmon, age 17, son of tian Church and my work for half sick, to minister to the afflicted, and willing to weep with them that weep beside the sad and lonely grave of dear and loved ones, and we want to review briefly our church work. I have preached at Mt. Vernon 69 sermons, held two protracted meetings of a week each, preached o funerals. Total number of additious to the church 31, number of deaths among our members 9. The church has unanimously extended me a call to 1emain another year which has been accepted with the highest degree of appreciation, and my prayer is, may the Lord watch over and bless us all, and may we have another successful year's work together. I desire to extend my profound thanks to all the good people for the many acts of kindness shown me and my family since we have been in your midst. Also to thank the Mr. VERNON SIGNAL for publishing this report as well as our church notices in the past. Again invoking Heaven's benedicto rest upon us all,

I am sincerely. DAVID HARTSFIELD.



DR. W. J. CHILDRESS

Who is rapidly growing in favor and popularity 'as a physician. is regarded as one of the best doctors in the county.

"Peace on earth, good will to men," the angels sang, and the words have come echoing down to us through all the years since the stars shone on the first Christmas eve and Bethlehem basked in the her midst.

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THE COLLEGE NEWS.

The closing exercises of the fall term last Friday evening are generally spoken of as one of the best entertainments ever given by the college. The orations did credit to CIRCUIT COURT. - Second Mon- the institutions and to the young at Wilbur Smith's Busines College, day in February, Fourth Monday men who composed and delivered Lexington, My. He refers to 10,-

> students gave evidence of much drill and was highly pleasing to 500 students from 20 states this the audience ..

Hotel. ing 1st & 3rd Sunday's at 11 a. m. and at were also of a high grade and the exceeds the supply. This College Sunday School-9:50 a. m. every Sunday. nounced by some persons as one of 27 years. Students can begin at creased attendance at the opening Business College this winter or of the next term, Jan. 5th. Prof. spring, write immediately for a Hunt has hied himself away to Cin- large illustrated catalogue to W. R. cinnati and Indianapolis in the in- Smith, Lexington, Ky. terest of the college.

Miss Mitchell has gone for a visit to her home in Tennessee, and sale a farm of 127 acres, lying on Miss Sidener has gone to her home the waters of Brush Crek. two in Indiana and will not return for next term. But it is proposed to have some able teachers.

It is reported by Mr. C. C. Williams, one of the trustees, that the Martin property has been purchased to be used as a dormitory. There are three residences in all. We hope to see them all in use for the students. Also there are several good families in which board can be obtained at very reasonable

It is reported that a goodly num ber of teachers will be in attendance. Also an advancement in the course of study is planned. This will enable college students to re main here a year or two longer and studies before going elsewhere to finish. The advanced Latin class begins reading Virgil at the open- get the most eggs. Science. ing of the term.

We understand that the requireregularity in attendance, and that study hours will be observed and less gadding about on the streets will be permitted. Only those to same points, 10.10 p. m. daily can have any privileges in the way food if there is anemia?

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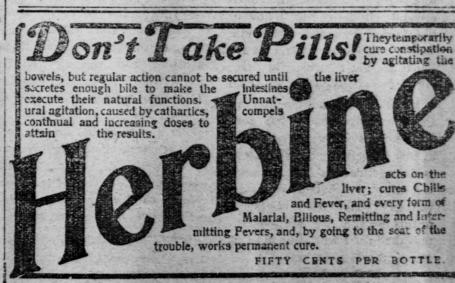
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